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8 **UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT**
9 **EASTERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA**

10 DANIEL MONTES; MARIA DIAZ;
11 OCTAVIANO MONTALVO, on behalf of
12 themselves and others similarly situated,

13 Plaintiffs,

14 v.

15 BEE SWEET CITRUS, INC.; and DOES 1
16 through 10, inclusive,

17 Defendants.

Case No. 1:20-cv-01162-JLT-EPG

ORDER DISMISSING DEFENDANT'S
COUNTERCLAIMS AND ORDER
DENYING AS MOOT PLAINTIFFS'
MOTION TO DISMISS

(Doc. 45)

18 On August 17, 2022, the Court dismissed named Plaintiffs' complaint with prejudice and
19 requested that Bee Sweet Citrus, Inc. notify the Court regarding whether it intended to maintain
20 its counterclaims. (Doc. 44.) On August 18, 2022, Bee Sweet filed a notice of voluntary dismissal
21 of its counterclaims against Plaintiffs (Doc. 9) and counterclaims against Cross-Defendants
22 Eduardo Soto (also known as Eduardo Soto, FLC and/or Soto Farm Labor Contractor) and
23 Harvest Kings, LLC (also known as RT/King Harvesting) (Doc. 10). (Doc. 45.) Accordingly, the
24 Court hereby **ORDERS**:

- 25 1. Bee Sweet's counterclaims (Doc. 9; Doc. 10) are **DISMISSED**.
26 2. Plaintiffs' motion to dismiss Bee Sweet's counterclaims (Doc. 15) is **DENIED as**
27 **moot**.

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3. The Clerk of Court is directed to close this case.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

Dated: **August 31, 2022**


UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE